Mr. K. Ayyappan.—*To reduce the allotment of Rs. 336 for Legislative Council—Temporary Establishment by Re. 1.*

The Demand was then put and carried.

3. 16—Law and Justice—E—Factories—Purchase and repair of furniture Rs. 250.

Mr. T. S. Sesha Ayyar.—Sir, I rise to move for an additional allotment of Rs. 250 under 16—Law and Justice—E—Factories. The amount is required for the purchase of a test pump for the purpose of boiler inspections. The one that was in use is out of order and is found to be beyond repairs. The cost of a new pump is reported to be Rs. 250. No provision was made in the budget for this expenditure. Though the present requisition forms an additional allotment under the particular sub-head referred to, there will be no increase in the total allotment provided in the budget for "Factories" as it is proposed to meet the cost by transfer from the Head, Pay of Inspector of Factories and Boilers," under which there are savings. As the purchase of the pump is found to be very necessary and essential, I request that the House may kindly allow the grant.

Mr. A. Sankara Puduval.—May I know Sir, whether this pump is kept by the Boiler Inspector?

Mr. T. S. Sesha Ayyar.—It is kept with the Boiler Inspector.

Mr. A. Sankara Puduval.—In his Office?

Mr. T. S. Sesha Ayyar.—Yes.

Dr. A. G. Menon.—Sir, is it a fixed pump or a portable one?

Mr. T. S. Sesha Ayyar.—It is a portable one.

The Demand was put and carried.

4. 16—Law and Justice—E—Factories—Rs. 50.

Mr. T. S. Sesha Ayyar.—Sir, I rise again to move for an additional allotment of Rs. 50 under 16—Law and Justice—E—Factories. In allowing an appeal preferred by Messrs. U. B. Dutt and Co., Mill-owners, Ernakulam, against the order of the Inspector of Factories and Boilers refusing permission to work a boiler at the pressure certified by its makers, the District Magistrate allowed the appellants costs to the extent of Rs. 50. No provision has been made for this expenditure in the budget. This expenditure also is proposed to be met by transfer from the allotment under the head "Pay of Inspector of Factories and Boilers." Thus the total amount under the head "Factories' will not be exceeded. I request that the House may kindly allow the grant.

The Demand was put and carried.

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